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Miscellaneous Advertisements.

What are you Going to do about Clothes this Summer?

[But, first, the item about Railroad Fare at the bottom of this advertisement. Be sure to read it.]

You know this famous Old Corner for Good Clothing isn't in the cotton business; nor gushing over job lots of Clothing bought for a song; nor selling Clothing made by miserably paid work-people.

There's only one way to Good Clothing at Low Prices—the manufacturer selling to the wearer. That puts the dealer's profit out of joint. That it saves money to you we needn't tell you. It shows on its face. Besides it lets us make just the Clothing that is popular, the styles you ask for oftenest, the goods you like best.

There's more money for us in selling thousands of suits at a small profit than hundreds at a high one. What prices? Well, for $10, $12, $13.50, $15 and up. That's two or three dollars under usual city prices.

Very nice Dress Suits for $15. This is the greatest store in existence for Dress Suits.

Business increasing every season. Value for your dollars increasing.

Wanamaker & Brown,

Sixth and Market, Philadelphia.

For example, we pay Railroad Excursion Fare from Middletown if you purchase $20.00 worth.

SUMMER - GOODS -

WE HAVE just opened a very large stock of Summer Dress Goods, such as Tissues, Organdies, Sateens, Challis, Chambrays, Ginghams, (both Domestic and Scotch), Summer Silks, &c. We have a large lot of Colored Silks, worth from 75c to 90c per yard, which we propose to sell at 50c per yard for making silk underskirts. Six yards of these goods will make a full skirt, which will cost $3.00 per skirt. The same silk skirt will cost at retail in the city from $6 to $8 a piece. This is the Biggest Bargain of the season.

DRESS TRIMMINGS, GIMPS, SURAHS, &c.,
MEN'S AND LADIES' UNDERWEAR,
CLOTHES AND CASSIMERES.

- - CLOTHING! - -

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, GROCERIES,
CARPETS AND MATTINGS, &c.

Please call and see our stock as we can give you the variety to select from. Also, styles and prices.

W. H. MOORE AND CO.

GLYNRICH LAND COMPANY,

No. 1005 1-2 Market Street,
Wilmington, Del.

Incorporated under the Laws of the State of Delaware.

Buys and Sells All kinds of Real Estate on the Peninsula of Del., Maryland and Va. **Buys and Sells**

* Farm Lands a Specialty. *

IF you have a farm for sale or want to dispose of part of your farm, place it in our hands and we shall use our best endeavors to send you a purchaser. We are getting up a list of Peninsula farms to be published in our prospectus, which will be distributed *judiciously throughout the United States*, and will at the very lowest estimate reach

5,000 POSSIBLE PURCHASERS.

We Solicit Correspondence.

We mean business, and if you will write us, by fair treatment and just business principles we hope to win your confidence. This is not a "boom" but merely a legitimate effort to attract purchasers to the Peninsula and show them its superior advantages.

WE DO THE ADVERTISING WITHOUT EXPENSE TO OWNER.

Address all communications to

Glynrich Land Company.

OXFORD TIES.

FOR the warm weather there is nothing so cool, comfortable and satisfactory for the ladies' and children as Oxford Ties. A larger supply than ever now on hand at Prettyman's.

Prices-- 75c. to $2.50. Tennis, 50c.

A CASH STORE. **EDWIN PRETTYMAN,** Main Street, Middletown, Delaware

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BEST MADE CLOTHING IN PHILADELPHIA.

Our Serges will enable you to keep cool. They are in blue, black and gray, and range from $10 to $25. The $14 suit is a happy medium and very popular, combining style, durability and everything requisite for comfort.

A breezy line of Negligee Shirts White and Fancy Flannel Coats, Black and Fancy Alapaccas, at moderate cost.

Everybody is getting onto our Bathing Suits—before long everybody will be getting into them.

A. C. YATES & CO.
COR. 13th AND CHESTNUT STS.
PHILADELPHIA.

Jefferson B. Foard,

Commission Merchant!

Grain, Fruit and Implements,
MIDDLETOWN, DEL.

HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR GRAIN ON DELIVERY.

AGENT FOR THE

Buckeye Binders and Mowers.

CLIFTON HAY RAKE,
Farmers' Friend Corn Planter,
Oliver Chilled Plows and Castings,
Pennsylvania Grain Drill,
Binder Twine, &c.

☞ A full supply of the above on hand with castings for same at very low prices.

JEFFERSON B. FOARD,
By R. J. FOARD, Attorney

CAPITAL, - - $500,000.00.
SURPLUS, - - $70,000.00.

Security Trust and Safe Deposit Company,

519 MARKET ST., WILMINGTON, DEL.

MONEY UNEMPLOYED or waiting investment can be made to earn you interest if deposited with this company.

INTEREST PAID on deposits of money as follows: 2 per cent on deposits payable on demand, by check, same as banks; 3½ per cent on deposits payable after 10 days' notice; 3 per cent on deposits payable after 30 days' notice. Special rates for large sums to remain for a year or longer.

SPECIAL ATTENTION given to the accounts of Ladies, also to those of Executors, Administrators, Trustees, Guardians and Receivers. The Company acts by authority of law as Executor, Administrator, Guardian, Receiver and Agent, and executes trusts of every description.

Correspondence solicited and full information furnished concerning any branch of the Company's business. Satisfaction guaranteed. Send for pamphlet.

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Greeting, to the Ladies.

A Great Convenience and Saving of Expense to the Ladies.

We have located as our agent Miss Mary Allee, of Crawford Street, Middletown, Del., who will at all times be pleased to show samples of goods and give estimates on cost of Coats and Suits for ladies and children. These suitings are strictly tailor-made and we guarantee a perfect fit. Miss Allee is thoroughly experienced in the art of tailor fitting.

Call and see if we do not Save you Money.

☞ Remember through Miss Allee you purchase directly from the manufacturer. t

No Charge for Fitting.

Respectfully,

EDWIN A. JOHNSON & CO,
147 N. Twelfth Street,
PHILADELPHIA.
Sept 24-3 m

JOHN MARQUARDT,

— MAKER OF —

Fine Boots AND Shoes,

MIDDLETOWN, DEL.

By leaving your order and having your measure taken you can be fitted in footwear in a manner that cannot be excelled. By a *fit we mean something that will be the shape of your foot and always prove comfortable.*

☞ *WE SOLICIT A TRIAL.*

REPAIRING A SPECIALTY.

John Marquadt,
MAIN STREET, NEAR CASS.

JUNE SONG.

O sing of a scudding sky in June!
He who can sing it sweet—
When the yachts of God are all abroad,
Ten million in the fleet;
Nor mightiest hand in all the land
Can stay one snowy sheet!

The oriole and the bobolink
Fling challenge to the quail;
The clover nods to the milkweed pods,
And the daisies dot the swale;
The soul of the rose on light wing goes;
And sweetens all the gale.

Ah! fair is the green world underneath!
But O for the blue above!
To leave the grass and lightly pass,
As the pinion of a dove,
To the snowy boat that seems to float
To the haven of my love!

Then hey for a scudding sky in June,
When the world is fresh and sweet;
When the yachts of God are all abroad,
Ten million in the fleet;
Nor mightiest hand in all the land
Can furl one flying sheet!

—Outing for June.

THE STORY OF A DUEL.

"COMRADES! have you heard the news? A man hath come forward to answer the challenge of Jacopo the Swordsman!"

This announcement, made in one of the principal streets of Florence on a fine summer morning in the latter part of the sixteenth century, was quite sufficient to gather an excited crowd round the speaker the instant he uttered it; for Jacopo Belloni (popularly known as "Jacopo the Swordsman," from his deadly skill in fencing) was widely renowned as the most formidable prize-fighter in all Italy, although (according to the custom of those times) he fought, not with his fists, but with his sword.

The redoubtable Jacopo had already killed three or four fencers of renown who had ventured to encounter him, and then, finding that people seemed to be getting rather shy of testing his prowess, he had lately issued a formal challenge to all comers, and had offered to stake a pretty large sum of money upon the result.

This challenge, however, had already been thrice repeated without any one appearing particularly anxious to accept it; and therefore it was no great wonder that the announcement quoted above should have been received with looks and exclamations of doubt, and even of flat disbelief.

"It is impossible, Maso! (Tom). No man living would be so mad!"

"It must be a jest—and a sorry one too."

"Or else Maso is lying. Confess that thou are lying, according to thy custom, brother Maso, and we will forgive thee!"

"Laugh if ye will, my friends," said Maso, slightly affronted, "but I lie not. It stands writ out in the Market Place, full fair to see, that there is a man ready to meet Jacopo on the seventh morning from to-day."

"Then there is one more fool in the town than I thought," grunted a stout armorer," "and there will soon be one less."

"Who is the man?" He must be a stranger here, or he would know better."

"I can not tell," said Maso; "for, although his challenge is fairly writ, there is no name signed to it."

"Then it must needs be a jest," growled a sturdy butcher, beside him

"No jest, i'faith," cried Maso; "for he hath staked one thousand five hundred pistoles on the event."

Incredible as Maso's news appeared, however, it was speedily and surely confirmed, and the tidings of the expected combat flew abroad like wildfire, kindling a universal excitement. When the day appointed for the fight came, not only all Florence, but all the country round seemed to have gathered to watch the sport, and in the ranks of the spectators were to be seen young nobles from all the greatest families in Northern Italy.

The stage upon which the two champions were to meet was a large platform of smooth planking (thickly strewn with sawdust to keep their feet from slipping), which, being full thirty feet in length by at least twenty in breadth, gave ample space for all their movements. At either end of the stage was a smaller platform, on which stood a tent of white canvas; and upon these tents all eyes were fixed in eager expectation, for they hid from sight the heroes.

Presently one of the tents was seen to open, and forth stepped the famous Jacopo Belloni himself, bowing condescendingly in acknowledgment of the thundering cheers that greeted his appearance.

The renowned swordsman's tall, active, sinewy figure was a perfect model of well-trained agility and strength; but his dark, lean, wolfish face, with its hooked nose, sloping forehead, bristly black moustache, white teeth, and fierce, restless gray eye (which was turned hungrily upon the opposite tent) were unpleasantly suggestive of some ferocious beast of prey.

And now the other tent opened in its turn, and a long cry of astonishment broke from every lip. The man who was about to encounter the dreaded Belloni was seen to be a slim, handsome youth, barely twenty years old, so slender in frame, and so smooth and delicate in face, that, but for his lofty stature and the silky moustache on his upper lip, he might have been mistaken for a girl.

The bravo shrugged his broad shoulders with a disdainful laugh, and muttered some coarse jest about "whipping the child back to its mother," but the young man took no heed of him.

Then up rose a fine-looking old man in a richly-embroidered suit of crimson velvet, the Marquis di Scala, who, as warden of the market place, had charge of the days proceedings. He announced that this young man staked one thousand five hundred pistoles (nearly one thousand three hundred pounds) against one thousand wagered by Jacopo, adding that, as there was no personal enmity between the two combatants, the first wound received by either might fairly end the fight.

But here the young stranger interposed. "Let me entreat your worship," said he with stern emphasis, "not to defeat the sole purpose which could have made me stoop to encounter you cut-throat. It is full time this his murderous hand were stayed from shedding more blood; and, with the help of Heaven, mine shall be the arm to stay it. Ere I leave the spot, he or I shall lie dead."

In the dead hush of universal amazement those clear, stern, menacing tones rang out like the summons of a destroying angel. The spectators stood aghast, and looked at each other in silence; and even the savage Belloni seemed cowed, for the scornful smile faded from his lips, and a faint uneasiness made itself visible for the first time through the swaggering impudence of his look. These signs of wavering did not pass unnoticed by the watching crowd, some of whom taunted him with his changed look; on which, stung to the quick, the bully fiercely shook off his momentary hesitation, and advanced upon his foe with uplifted sword. The latter met him with equal readiness, and a deep and solemn hush settled down upon that great multitude as the shining blades were seen to cross.

Belloni pressed furiously forward, his sword flickering lightning as he dealt thrust after thrust, with a quickness which no eye could follow. He appeared bent upon bearing down his young opponent by sheer strength; but to his own surprise, and that of every one else, he seemed to have met his match at last. Lunge after lunge did he make, with seemingly irresistable force, and again and again did the bystanders draw in their breath as they watched to see the stranger fall; but the thisty point was always turned aside just as it seemed about to pierce him. Nor did he once break ground, but kept circling round and round his foe, watching for a chance of attacking in turn.

That chance came at last. Jacopo, spent with his own violent exertions, could no longer maintain this exhausting attack. His breath begun to fail and his hand to tremble. Then the stranger came forward, and attacked and attacked Belloni in his turn, with a light of a sudden and terrible gladness upon his beautiful face, which made the hardiest spectators shudder as they saw it. Twice Belloni dashed aside the point just as it reached him, but the second time an ominous stain of crimson on his white vest showed that the parry had come all but too late. They closed a third time—there was a quick trampling of feet, a clash of steel, a hoarse choking curse—and the destroyer of so many lives lay dead at the stranger's feet, pierced through the heart.

The momentary pause of silent stupefaction was followed by long continued thunders of applause, while the Marquis di Scala, seemingly much pleased, held out to the conqueror the heavy purse containing the stakes; but the latter, to every one's surprise, waved it haughtily away.

"Money that is stained with blood shall never be touched by my hands," he said, in a tone of such commanding dignity as to impress even the proud old noble to whom he spoke. "Give it to the widows and the orphan children of the men whom this wretch hath slain."

"And who art thou, fair sir, I pray thee?" asked the marquis, looking at him wonderingly.

"I am from Scotland," answered the victorious youth, "and my name is—James Crichton!"

"The Admirable Crichton!" shouted the throng, with one voice, hailing the renowned Scot by the title which he had already made famous throughout all Europe.

"Ay, the Admirable Crichton, in good sooth, cried the Marquess di Scala, "and never more truly admirable then when he thus risks his life to punish the guilty, and gives up his well-won gains to relieve the distressed."

The best medical authorities say the proper way to treat catarrh is to take a constitutional remedy, like Hood's Sarsaparilla.

"GREEN GOODS MEN."

ONE OF THEIR LETTERS DIRECTED TO A MIDDLETOWN BUSINESS MAN FAILS TO BRING THEM A CUSTOMER.

The following letter was received by a well-known business man of this town a few days ago, from New York "green goods men." It is remarkable in several ways. The manner in which it is worded, and the extreme care to avoid detection show a shrewdness in keeping with the men who conduct the nefarious business. The The letter was, of course, unanswered by the gentleman who received it.

[CONFIDENTIAL.]

Dear Sir:—Kindly excuse the liberty I have taken in addressing these lines to you, but I do it in good faith, and if I have made a mistake all I ask is to remember that I meant to aid you financially, and at the same time to introduce my goods in your vicinity. I could just as easily have written to others in your town, but for good reasons easily explained when we meet, I chose you to be my agent, thus giving you the opportunity of a life time to make a quick and safe fortune. I must impress on you to give me credit for meaning right by you, and if I have done wrong in trying to get you for my agent, then I beg of you to let matters drop and forget everything in relation to this, except that I have endeavored to be your friend. I enclose herewith a newspaper clipping which gives all the information that could be desired and it explains itself. I have a very superior article of the kind, in fact the best ever issued or put on the market; the sizes run from one to twenty. I warrant each and every note to be perfect as to paper, coloring, Vignette, printing, engraving and signatures, and when made to appear as having been used or handled much, I defy the best bank clerk or expert to tell them from genuine. It has cost me a great deal of time and money to perfect these goods and I have at last succeeded where many others have failed in producing the genuine fibre paper. My stock now is as neat and perfect as human skill can make it and there is absolutely no risk in using it. Remember, this is an article which will go anywhere and everywhere, leaving for you a net profit of from ten to twelve hundred per cent. according to the amount you buy. These goods cannot be detected in the ordinary course of trade, and only at the Treasury in Washington through the duplication of the number, and not then if the genuine bill of the same number is still in circulation, so that they are really as good as gold. Now, my friend, (for I will take the liberty of calling you such), we are strangers to one another, but if you desirous of handling these goods, and will come here to see me, you will find me a square white man in all my dealings, as my manner of doing business will plainly show.

It is as follows: when you come here, I will show you my entire stock, compare them with the genuine and in fact submit them to any test you see fit, before you pay me a single dollar, then after you are thoroughly convinced and satisfied on every point, you can select whatever sizes you want and pay cash for your purchase and carry the goods home with you. Now, my friend, to do this business safely, it must be done "face to face." Experience has taught me that this is the only absolutely safe way to transact this business and most satisfactory to us both on our first deal, and then should you become our permanent agent we will make some other arrangements, possibly more convenient for you. When you come here you can see me and what you are buying, and I can see you and judge the man I am to place confidence in for future business, besides it is absolutely necessary that I should see you on our first deal as there are some few secrets pertaining to the business and necessary to success, which I do not care to put in writing, and is only imparted to a customer "by word of mouth," at a personal interview, as a customer only has the same interest I have in keeping these private matters to himself. Remember, I do not ask or expect to be paid one cent until you have the goods in your possession. Do not ask me to send goods by mail or express as it is not a safe way for either of us; it is better to be sure and safe than to transact a business of this nature in a careless manner. Now, my friend if you wish to make a deal with me, do not hesitate too long over the matter; it is always best to be among the first than one of the last to take hold of a thing of this kind, for such a business can not last forever. If you will come at once I can guarantee you a clear field to work in, and if I am satisfied at a personal interview that you would make me a good agent, I may offer you more liberal inducements to take the State Agency and make you a special rate for any deal over $20,000. If you have not the money to buy my goods I would consent to your taking some confidential friend in with you who has the necessary amount, provided, of course, that he is trust-worthy and could keep the secret; you could both then come on together and make the deal. However, you would be very foolish to take and one in with you it you could raise money enough yourself. You can make money faster and easier by dealing in my goods than you ever dreamed of before in your life; you are bound to be successful, there can be no such thing as fail. An opportunity like this to make an independent fortune in a short time, and at a comparatively small investiment, is well worth a favorable consideration, and should not be rejected hastily from conscientious scruples or otherwise. It was never intended that one man should have millions and another nothing; the wealth and good things of this world are too unevenly distributed; others have suddenly grown rich around you, perhaps right in your own neighbor hood some one person has risen quickly in worldly possessions without any apparent cause for his sudden prosperity, and still no one would imagine that he might have engaged in a similar business to the one I am speaking of to you at present; and now, my friend, unless you have money enough to live comfortably on for the rest of your days this is just the business you want to take hold of, as the goods can be handled with perfect safety and at an immense profit to yourself and enable you to provide a competency for your old age and pass your remaining years in ease and comfort. No wrong in it. Uncle Sam has millions of our money locked up in the Treasury uselessly and unjustly so. I know that you have some distance to come, but considering the tremendous profits and no risks whatever, it is well worth the slight inconvenience of a journey here, and as far as expenses are concerned, I will make a liberal allowance to cover them, and I promise that if you do not find my goods just as represented, or should you, upon any reasonable pretext, decline to consummate a trade, I guarantee to refund your entire expenses from the time you leave home until your return, and make a liberal allowance for loss of time, inconvenience to business, etc.

My terms are: five hundred dollars buys seven thousand, six hundred and fifty dollars buys ten thousand and one thousand dollars buys twenty thousand; seven thousand for five hundred dollars is the very smallest amount I will sell under any circumstances. I will give you the "State Right," that is, the sole privilege of handling the goods throughout your State, if you invest from six hundred and fifty dollars and upwards. Remember, I sell my goods so cheaply on the first deal in order to give my customer a fair start and build up a trade. On all after deals, which surely follow, I charge 25 cents on the dollar. I will not do a retail trade as thereby it would let too many into the business and its secrets. Now, sir, when you have fully made up your mind and prepare to come on, obey the following instructions and do only just as I tell you; be guided by my experience and advice and you will do just right.

First.—Do not, as long as you live, ever write me a letter; if you do I shall not receive it, and furthermore, all business relations between us will end. Don't forget this and remember I mean exactly what I say.

Second.—When ready to come and see me send me a telegraph despatch and be *absolutely positive* to say in it: "Agency in demand."

Then sign your full name and post-office address as directed below.

On receipt of your telegram I will immediately send you simple and plain instructions how to see and know me, and will appoint a place of meeting at some hotel, in some town within fifty miles of this city. If I am alive I will surely meet you. Don't attempt to come on to find me without first telegraphing to me for instructions. Send telegrams, which will be promptly received, to the enclosed address. Yours respectfully, and in strict confidence.

SPECIAL. Be sure and send your name and post-office address and when you send your telegram do not send your name spelled out in letters but use the numbers that correspond to the letters in your name, the numbers for each letter are as follows:"

The key to the alphabet then followed, and by this means the name of the person who answered the letter would appear altogether in figures. Enclosed with the letter was a slip with the following address: Henry Wagner, Care Shoe Store, 2173 Eighth Avenue, New York City.

Learn modesty from the burglar. Does it ever bother him who may get credit for his work?

Women's Bonnets in Court.

A young lawyer of Boston was asked the other day in the English courts why a woman must remove her hat. He could not answer the question. But an old lawyer, to whom the matter was referred, recalled the opinion of Sir Edward Coke on the matter. It was at a murder trial where the prisoner was a woman and appeared before the court with her head covered. Sir Edward Coke ordered the woman to remove her hat and said: "A woman may be covered in church, but not when arraigned in a court of justice." The accused tartly replied: "It seems singulnr that I may wear my hat in the presence of God, but not in the presence of man." "It isn't strange at all," replied the judge, "for the reason that man, with his weak intellect, cannot discover the secrets which are known to God, and therefore, in investigating truth, where human life is in peril and one is charged with taking life, the court should see all obstacles removed. Besides, the countenance is often the index to mind, and accordingly it is fitting that the hat should be removed and therewith the shadow that it casts upon your face." The hat of the prisoner was taken off, but she was allowed, for modesty's sake, to cover her hair with a kerchief.—Boston Post.

It was Ben Johnson, we believe, who, when asked Mallock's question, "Is life worth living?" replied, "That depends on the *liver!*" And Ben Johnson doubtless saw the double point to the pun. The liver active—quick—life rosy, everything bright, mountains of trouble melt like mountains of snow. The liver sluggish—life dull, everything blue, molehills of worry rise into mountains of anxiety, and as a result—sick headache, dizziness, constipation. Two ways are open. Cure permanently, or relieve temporarily. Take a pill and suffer, or take a pill and get well. Shock the system by an overdose, or coax it by a mild, pleasant way.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the mild means. They work effectively, without pain, and leave the system strong. One, little, sugar-coated pellet is enough, although a whole vial costs but 25 cents

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Mild, gentle, soothing and healing is Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. Only 50 cents; by druggists.

These Truths.

It is a lean pig that is always squealing.

A seed that will not grow is no better than one that is rotten.

Love never complains that the price it has to pay is too much.

Vinegar in a jug is a good thing, but in people it is a nuisance.

Sin will behave itself a year to get to have its own way an hour.

It is hard to be a friend to a man who is an enemy to himself.

The spider probably thinks that the bee is wasting time in making honey.

There is something wrong with a man's religion if it never makes him want to sing.

It is so much easier to tell other poeple how to walk than it is to show them how.

When a boy has to be washed he is sorry that Columbus ever discovered America.

The trouble with the man who knows nothing is that he is always the last to find it out.

The first time a boy gets ten miles away from home he thinks the world is a whopper.

"It leads them all," is the general reply of druggists when asked about the merit or sales of Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Watts—"The man who attempts to argue with his wife when her mind is made up is pretty sure to come out second best." Potts—"It is not that way in my experience. I always get distanced."—India napolis Journal.

Nothing so exasperates a woman who has been shading her eyes from the gaslight with her hand all the evening so much as to find that after all she had left her best diamond ring on the washstand.—Town Topics.

The modern drummer is not much like the month of March. March is said to come in a lion and go out a lamb, while the drummer comes in a lyin' and goes out a lyin'.—Texas Sittings.

Scene: A family boarding-house. Time: Sunday evening. "You are not eating any chicken, M. Lemachin!" "No, madame, thanks; I never work on Sundays."—Masque de Fer.

Mistress—Jane, Willie informs me that you kissed my husband yesterday. Jane—Oh, that's all right, ma'am—I've got used to it now.—Brooklyn Life.

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ABRAM VANDEGRIFT,
EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

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Local Notices five cents a line for the first insertion. Death and Marriage Notices inserted free.

Subscription Price, one dollar per annum in advance. Single copy, three cents.

Objectionable medicine notices and questionable advertisements of any nature whatsoever are not taken at any price.

Advertisers have the privilege of changing their advertisements as often as they desire, but *must positively* put their copy in the hands of the printer not later than Wednesday morning to be sure of a change in their announcements the same week. New advertisements will be received up to 12 o'clock of the day of publication.

SUBSCRIPTION PRICE, $1 00 A YEAR

Thursday Afternoon, June 23, 1892

DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.

FOR SHERIFF,
JAMES J. TONER,

FOR CORONER,
JAMES H. KIRK,

FOR RECEIVER OF TAXES AND COUNTY TREASURER,
JOHN T. DICKEY,

FOR COUNTY COMPTROLLER,
JOHN F. STAATS.

In extending expressions of condolence to James G. Blaine upon the recent death of his son Emmons Blaine, the Democratic National Convention at Chicago did a kind and graceful act. It was one of those chances which come once in a long time when a party can show their sympathy toward some one less fortunate than themselves and upon whose life providence has seen fit to cast a dark shadow, by extending their sincere sympathies. No matter what political or other differences there may be there is no mistaking the feelings which prompt such acts as this one performed by the Democratic Convention.

The members of the Middletown Board of Trade have once more shown their ability to entertain. The reception given to the Sons of Delaware Tuesday evening was a very enjoyable affair, and the visitors as well as our home people spent a most delightful evening. The entire affair was well managed, and in this respect was not unlike everything else which the Board undertakes. Just such occasions as this go to make up the pleasures of life that are not soon forgotten. The Sons of Delaware were loud in their praise of the entertainment provided by the Board of Trade and the treatment they received from the people generally. May both organizations long thrive and meet on many more occasions.

In the National Conventions of the two great parties the unusual has happened. In the Republican Convention the men who had dictated the policy of the party for many years were beaten completely and decisively. They were unable to dictate to the delegates or to decieve them into making nominations suitable to that wing of the party represented by such professional politicians as Quay and Blarkson. In this case it was rather the victory of the office holders over the office seekers. In the the Democratic Convention now in session everything goes to Cleveland because he represents the ideas which have become grounded in the minds of the people, and because he has proven himself to be a man able to cope with the most serious and importance questions of the times. Other names have been mentioned in connection with the nomination, the names too of good men, but Cleveland stands first. He has made for the party issues which cannot be overlooked, issues which the people want to see settled, and the people naturally look to him to settle them.

There never has been a time when he was afraid to perform a duty and he regarded personal and even party success as of important secondacy to the welfare of the country. The platforms of the two parties are such that the campaign must be fought out on the line of principle; the dead issues of the past are settled and the people are now thinking of business of present and future importance. The Republicans will find reference to the war of no avail; they must look the question of tariff reform squarely in the face and they must assume the responsibility for the force bill with the consequent increase of 500,000 in the number of office holders. They must explain to the working people how it is that wages do not increase as the taxes go up, and to the farmer why the prices of land and produce constantly decline in the face of tariff laws which it is claimed were passed for the sole purpose of helping the tillers of the soil. This will be a campaign of principle in which the clap-trap which has blinded and decieved the people these many years can have no place. The stump speakers had better be looking up facts concerning the tariff question for it will be *the* question of the campaign.

Emmons Blaine, son of ex-Secretary Blaine's died Saturday at 11.15 A. M. at his home in Chicago. Blood poisoning, the result of inflammation of the bowels, was the cause. The fact of young Mr. Blaine's death was kept concealed for some time after he had actually passed away, the object being to reach the father first with some gentle intimation of the sad news.

CLEVELAND NOMINATED.

THE DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION AT CHICAGO CHOUSE HIM ON THE FIRST BALLOT.

HILL AND BOIES NOT IN IT.

They get 112 and 116 Votes Respectively.—The Second Man to be Named This Afternoon.

Ex-President Cleveland was nominated for President by the Democratic National Convention at Chicago, on the first ballot at 5 o'clock this morning. The vote follows: Cleveland, 616; Hill, 112; Bois, 116; others scattering.

The convention then adjourned to meet at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

One of the greatest political gatherings that ever came together in this country is the Democratic National Convention now in session at Chicago. The weather has been intensely hot, but enthusiasm has been at fever heat.

Hon. William L. Wilson, of West Virginia, is permanent chairman of the Convention.

At last night's session Governor Abbett, of New Jersey presented the name of Ex-President Cleveland to the convention for the nomination, and General Collins, of Massachusetts, seconded it. He was followed by William H. Wallace, of Missouri, and Attorney-General Hensel of Pennsylvania. John John F. Duncombe, of Iowa, presented the name of Governor Boies and was seconded by Henry Watterson. Hill's name was duly presented by DeWitt and Fellows of New York.

Care of the Wheat Crop.

What an inconsistent being is the average farmer regarding his wheat crop. He pays for his seed, his fertilizer, and his labor; watches the growing crop for months anticipating the return it will bring him. It ripens, he cuts it, he shocks it, and that settles it. There it stays until he can get a threshing machine; probably one week, probably six, catching all the rains and heavy dews followed by torrid sun, that intervene.

When finally the wheat is marketable, he submits his sample, and becomes highly indignant at being quoted ten cents per bushel below market price, owing to sprouts, bleached or musty grains, some of which are bound to exist in wheat so neglected. So he proceeds year after year, and unless the season be one of long drought, having the same experience each year.

Farmers, reform; if you have not now room to care for your entire crop, stack it well. The usual cry is, that there is so little profit in wheat of recent years, that it does not pay to incur the exta expense of stacking; but the additional expense is very small, and in fact nothing, compared to the loss you sustain by allowing it to remain in the shock, and consequently become damaged.

This neglect of wheat is a growing evil among the farmers and one they should check at once, for in some sections of this peninsula where the wheat was once sought after by makers of high class flour, the general grade has so deteriorated that millers of this class will not buy it, and the grain buyers are compelled to ship to the large markets, where it is sold at reduced value for shipment and manufacturing purposes in which wheat of inferior grade is used.

An Angry Woman's Blow.

Mrs. Elizabeth Satterfield, wife of William Satterfield of New Castle, attacked her sister-in-law, Miss Alberta Satterfield, a prominent young woman, with a hatchet about 8.30 o'clock Tuesday night, and inflicted injuries which may result in her death. All the parties are well-known people and the affair created a great sensation in the lower part of the city, when the details, which the family were endeavoring to keep quiet, became known.

Miss Satterfield is employed in the New Castle Woolen Miils and when she went home in the evening, was asked by Miss Satterfield to wash the dishes. This the young lady refused to do, saying that she did not propose to pay her board and work to. Mrs. Satterfield siezed a hatchet and dealt her sister a heavy blow on the head. The injured woman requests that her sister not be prosecuted no matter how serious the result.

The Dover correspondent of the *Every Evening* gives the following account of how a big wedding resulted from a man become converted and changing the habits of his life:

"A wedding occured here last Thursday night, which for length of courtship far exceeds that of the average Dover belle. The contracting parties were William Seize and Marium Smith, both colored. For over 30 years has Marium been smitten with William, and all that time has she acted as housekeeper and helpmate for him. Seize weighs about 400 pounds and measures about 14 inches more around the waist than he does from the crown of his head to the sole of his feet. It is needless therefore, to say that it was a big wedding. For some time past he has kept a gambling house on the outskirts of the town, but recently he was converted and his gambling outfit was destroyed, and he and his housekeeper were united in the holy bonds of wedlock."

County Tax Rate.

The New Castle county Levy Court met in regular session Tuesday morning. The delinquent tax collectors for the month ending June 21st passed in their accounts, and several bills were ordered paid.

At the afternoon session Chairman Jolls of the Finance Committee offered a resolution fixing the tax rate for 1892 at 48 cents on each $100 of the assessment. The resolution was adopted.

The Hill Murder a Conspiracy.

The excitement which has always prevailed in the vicinity of Chestertown regarding the murder of Dr. J. Heighe Hill, near Millington, on the night of Saturday, April 23, was suddenly heightened Monday by the arrest of four persons, all implicated in the awful crime.

The persons arrested are Henry Hynson, Walter Rowe, John Potts and Frank Baynard, brother to Joshua Baynard, who was detained in Kent county jail some time ago as a witness, and is now held as an accessory after the fact. Further arrests are expected. Two important witness have disappeared, but will be caught. The colored men in jail refuse to say a word, but it is understood they will prove directly that the killing of Dr. Hill was a deep-laid scheme, in which the previous killing of Tom Campbell in the winter was sworn to be avenged, and that Dr. Hill was to be the victim.

The scheme, it is claimed, was all concocted at Cooper's house near where the Hill tragedy took place. In the Campbell case Dr. Hill gave his opinion that the man's neck was not broken, while Dr. Todd said it was. Dr. Hill's decision was attributed to hatred of colored people, and so he was to be punished. It was known on the night of his murder that he had been sent for, and the assailants were in waiting for him.

The Latest Swindle.

Of all the various methods of swindling the innocent and unsuspecting farmer this is the latest, as well as the most ridiculous we have ever heard of;

"A well dressed man, driving through the country selling fruit trees, stops at a farmer's house. While there he is taken very ill, and asks the farmer to hand him a bottle of medicine out of a grip, which, however he fails to find. He then asks him to go or send some body to town for a prescription, giving him a fountain pen and a fruit-tree blank on which to write the prescription, and as the medicine is of such a nature as to require the purchaser's signature the unsuspecting farmer signs it. Just then stranger No. 2 makes his appearance from the opposite direction, going to town. He stops for a drink of water, and as he is coming back at once and is visiting in the neighborhood, he is asked to take the prescription to town. Shortly after he has gone No. 1 finds his medicine, recovers, and goes to town. In a few days the farmer has to pay a note and the prescription never comes back."

He Objects to the Negligee.

Chief Justice Comegys is a lawyer of the old school. He is the personification of judicial dignity. Thursday a great many lawyers were in court without vests and wearing colored negligee shirts. The Chief Justice remarked to Judge Cullen during the session, that he did not think it respectful for a lawyer to come to court without waistcoat and attired in that manner. The remark has agitated some of the negligee attorneys. —Evening Journal.

Chief Blackburn Resigns.

William J. Blackburn resigned his position as chief of the Wilmington police force last night. His resignation was brought about by the charges made against him connecting him with the policy gamblers. Theodore W. Francis has been appointed in his stead.

This resignation clears the city of the matter. Mr. Blackburn has expressed a desire to have the matter go before the courts so that he may have an opportunity to vindicate himself. This will doubtless be done.

"Big Six" Typographical Union, embracing over 5,000 printers, has passed a resolution refusing to permit its members from giving support to the Republican ticket with Whitelaw Reid on it as a candidate. Reid, as editor of the *Tribune*, has constantly and persitently resisted the printers union and refused employment to its members. It is now their turn, and they will strike back at him, and refuse him help now that he needs it. The action of the Big Six will probably be followed by other unions, and it may be that Mr. Reid will find the whole working fraternity refusing to vote for a man who has refused to recognize them or treat them civilly.

A man who has practiced medicine for 40 years, ought to know salt from sugar; read what he says:

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$1 Jacquard Melange Suiting at 65c.
$2 Wick Border Melange, 45 in., $1.
Black Grenadine with colored dots and balls of wool and mohair, 46 in., 75c. from $2.50.
Black Grenadine with colored silk borders, 46 in., $1.25 from $3.50.
Black Grenadine with silk borders and colored polka dots, 60 in., $1 from $3.
Hair-line colored Crepons, 46 in., $1.25 from $3.
Colored Crepons with oblong of contrasting colors, 46 in., $1.50 from $3.50.
Colored Damasse Crepon, 46 in., $1.50 from $3.
Colored Silk-and-wool Brocade, 44 in., $1 from $2.

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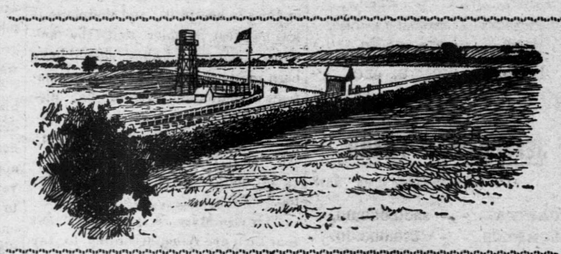

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MIDDLETOWN M. E. CHURCH.

Rev. N. M. Browne, Pastor.

Prenching every Sabbath at 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Sabbath School every Sabbath at 2 p. m. Alfred G. Cox, Superintendent. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock. The class meetings are held as follows: Sunday, 9 a. m., M. D. Wilson, Leader; Monday evening as 7.00 o'clock two classes, W. H. Moore and John B Roberts, Leaders: Tuesday evening at 7.30, led by the pastor; Wednesday evening at 7.00 o'clock two classes, Rev. N. M. Browne and Alfred G. Cox, Leaders. The seats are free and all are welcome.

FOREST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev. Francis H. Moore, Pastor.

Services held every Sabbath morning at 10.30 o'clock, and every Sabbath evening at 7.30. Sabbath school will be held every Sabbath morning at 9.15 o'clock. Harry Ellison Superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening.

Services at Armstrong's chapel the first Sabbath of each month at 2.30 p. m.

ST. ANNE'S PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH,

Rev. J. Beers, Rector.

Divine Service on Sunday mornings at half past ten o'clock and in the evenings at 7.30 o'clock. Sunday-school at 9.15 A. M.

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

— Hugh G. Browne delivered an address to the Republican conclaves at their ratification meeting in Wilmington Saturday evening.

— List of unclaimed letter remaining in the post-office, which can be had by saying they are advertised: J. J. Corbaley, David Timons, Chas. Wallace.

— Augustine Pier opens this evening with a social hop. It is probable that a large number of people will be present, and that the coming season at the Pier will be even more successful than last year.

— The wheat harvest in this neighborhood began to-day and for several days now the farmers will be busy gathering in their grain. From what we can hear there will only be a fair crop.

— The strange whistle that is heard here occasionally during the past few days, is on a Delaware railroad locomotive, and the only one of the kind used on the road. It is exactly like the ones used on the Baltimore and Ohio road.

— Cards are out for the wedding of Miss Clara Layton of Bridgeville, to William H. Miller of Middletown, at the Bridgeville M. E. Church, Wednesday afternoon, June 29th, at half past two o'clock. Mr and Mrs. Miller will reside in Middletown.

— The annual service in old St. Anne's church last Sunday morning was well attended and the Rector preached a very interesting sermon. The historic old church was cool and comfortable and the services were much enjoyed.

— Howard W. Grant, formerly of the P. W. & B. freight office at this station, but now of the Superintendent's office at Clayton, was married Tuesday morning to Miss Hallie Hunt of Easton. The couple are spending several days at Niagara Falls.

— The candidates for road commissioners of St. Georges hundred are: S. S. Holten, Cuthbert Green, John W. Davidson, and John P. Cochran, Jr. The first-named has twice been elected commissioner and has made a good record as a public officer. The contest promises to be interesting.

— The Board of Trade entertained the Middletown orchestra last evening at their new rooms. Lemonade and cake, with claret, were served by the ladies and a pleasant time was had. J. Thomas Budd made an elegant toast and was warmly applauded, and the Board of Trade added another point to their credit as entertainers.

— From present prospects the 4th of July will prove a rather dull day in Middletown. So far as we have heard there will be no observance of the day other than the decorations that will be made. A great many persons contemplate attending the races at McCoy's track, and the town will be quiet and almost deserted.

— An "all day's meeting" will be held in Port Penn M. E. Church next Sunday, June 26th. One of its purposes is to raise money to liquidate the indebtedness of the church. The following gentlemen will preach: Rev. A. P. Prettyman at 10.30; Rev. E. L. Barrett, P. E., at 2.30; Rev. Jacob Weidman, at 7.30.

— Mrs. Richard Blatchford who has been visiting her mother Mrs. Sewell Green, for the past ten weeks, left for her home at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, where she will join her husband, Lieut. Blatchford, 11th Infantry, U. S. A., who has been detailed there for special duty. They will probably remain at this the largest and pleasantest post in the country, for the next four years.

— Peter Wiggins, colored, was arrested Sunday morning, on the charge of assault and battery on Frank Duncan during the disturbance Saturday night, May 28th. At the hearing Monday, Wiggins admitted being the person who threw a brick at Duncan on the night named, and also of attempting to cut him in the disturbance which occurred soon after. 'Squire Ferguson held him under $500 bail for his appearance at the next term of court. Martin B. Burris went on his bond for that amo unt and he was released.

— Within the past week the work of macadamizing Main street from the square to the crossing at the Presbyterian Church has been completed; and the street is now in as fine a condition as could be desired. The work of extending the improvements to the depot is going on at present, but the remainder of the distance the stone will only be used to a width of twenty feet in the centre of the road. The work is being done under the direction of Mr. Hobon, an experienced road builder of Clifton Mills, Pa.

— Carpenters are at work on a new barn on the farm of M. B. Burris near Kennedyville, to take the place of the one recently destroyed by fire. Z. T. Bradley of Middletown has charge of the work.

— There was a flag raising at the Port Penn school house on Friday 16th. Rev. Mr. Given pastor the M. E. Church made the prayer. Frank Brockson teacher of the school presented the flag and Supt. H. D. Griffin received it. Rev. Jacob Wiedman was the orator of the day. The flag fluttered bravely in the breeze scattering small banners as souvenirs. It was a very pleasant affair.

Children's Day Services at the Presbyterian Church.

The Children's Day services of the Forest Presbyterian Sunday-school were held on last Sunday evening. Long before the hour announced for the services, the friends and members of the church began to assemble. The church was beautifully decorated with choice flowers and rare plants, and the effect was very fine. At 7.30 o'clock the Middletown orchestra performed a spirited march and Mr. Edward Reynolds, the Superintendent, headed the procession of the Sunday-school scholars, who took the places previously assigned them. The school was very well represented.

The musical selections were very good, and in addition to the hymns sung by the school, three quartette selections were rendered by the following ladies and gentlemen: Miss Bessie Reynolds, Miss Lillian Budd, Miss Edith Reynolds, Miss Eugene Beasten, Miss Martha Heaton, Miss Mary Pleasanton, and Messrs. W. W. Vansant and Frank Howell. The Introductory Address, by Albert Cavender, abounded with facts concerning the growth and work of the grand Sunday-school army. Five primary scholars, Emma Kelley, Mary Vandegrift, Carrie West, Joe Comegys and George Kelley, told what little children could do. Mary Maxwell recited "A Vision," and the magnificent poem, "Voices at the Throne," was given by Miss Martha Heaton. At the conclusion of the exercises the Middletown orchestra rendered a march and the Sunday-school retired from the room in the same order in which they had entered it. Many were the words of praise heard on every hand, as the large audience, which had filled the pews, aisles, gallery and vestibule, slowly dispersed. The occasion was a notable and successful one for the Sunday-school of the Forest Church.

"The Rose Tea."

Miss Mable Taylor entertained thirty-five of her young friends at a "Rose Tea," at her home on North Broad street last Thursday evening. The interior of the house was tastily decorated, and numerous chinese lanterns hung promiscuously about the handsome lawn made the scene a very pretty one. The guests found various means of amusement until 8 o'clock when they were invited to the refreshment tables. The menu was elaborate and well served by caterer Parker of Philadelphia, and the young people found themselves prepared to do full justice to the occasion. The evening was a pleasant one for all present and the company dispersed shortly after 10 o'clock.

Those present were: the Misses Ethel Parvis, Adeline Mifflin, Ada Cochran, Elizabeth Parker, Mary Appleton, Louise Reynolds, Mable Derrickson, Sallie Jolls, Mary Dunning, Helen Price, Adelaide Foard, Lucy Cochran, Maude Gooding, Anita Houston, Blanche Armstrong, Daisy Naudain, Middletown; Mary Jones, May Hobson, Bessie Murray, Elizabeth Denney, Elizabeth Collins, Dover; Messrs. Fred Crouch, Allen McDowell, Louie Naudain, Albert Cavender, Andrew Eliason, William Eliason, Lindsey Cochran, Norman Crouch, Gray Taylor, Julian Taylor, Middletown; Victor Clark, Maxwell Harrington, Carroll Downs, Dover.

A Clerk on Late Buyers.

"Please say something in your paper about the people who put off their buying until the very last thing and come into the store just as we are preparing to close up and go home," remarked a clerk in a store to the writer a few days ago. "You have no idea of the number of people who make a practice of doing this," the speaker continued. "They are not all country folks as some people think, for if they were, there might be some excuse as they cannot get into town early in the evening, but the most of them reside right among us. They invariably defer their purchasing until the last minute before the stores close, and keep the clerks confined a half hour, or more, longer than there is any necessity of. If this was an occasional occurrence we wouldn't say anything, but it happens every night. If we can't close the stores early in the evening, we might as least close on time. I wish I could write a piece for the paper and tell the people how we are imposed upon. But you can just tell them that for me."

We agreed to do this and hope that the practice spoken of may be discontinued, in a measure at least; and if some of the customers could see the situation from the clerks' point of view, we feel sure that it would be.

Opinions on the Peach Crop.

Being asked his opinion as to the peach prospects Levy Court Commissioner John W. Jolls, one of the largest buyers of the fruit in the State, this morning said: "There will be no peaches worth speaking of. I haven't been around among the orchards very much and I can make no calculations, but the shipments from this place will amount to little.

Deputy Sheriff J. C. Jolls said: "There will be a few of the very early and late varieties, but none between. No trees in the neighborhood are full, and what few have fruit on them are mostly young trees. There will be but few peaches to mix with politics this year, and they don't go well together anyway."

Flank Nets—W. R. Reynolds.

THAT COACHING PARTY.

HOW THE "SONS OF DELAWARE" SPENT AN EVENING WITH THE MIDDLETOWN BOARD OF TRADE.

The officers and Board of Governors of the Sons of Delaware, who are now on a tour down the State in their tally-ho coach were given a public reception upon their arrival here Tuesday evening, by the Middletown Board of Trade.

The visitors were to arrive at Middletown at five o'clock, but their horses suffered greatly from the intense heat and they did not get to town until 8.30 o'clock. The Board of Trade had been making ready for them and the old TRANSCRIPT building on South Broad street which has been recently fitted up for the headquarters of the Board, never presented such a gay appearance as on this occasion. Many business houses were decorated with flags in honor of the visitors, and by far the best half of the town turned out to greet them.

Shortly after their arrival in town they were taken in charge by a Board of Trade committee and ushered into the reception room, where Dr. I. S. Vallandingham, welcomed them to Middletown on behalf of the Board of Trade, in a short address. Mr. L. Layton Register replied for the visitors and warmly thanked the Board for their hospitality.

The Board of Trade committee on reception were Dr. I. S. Vallandigham, W. A. Comegys and Dr. T. H. Gilpin, and on entertainment, J. A. Suydam, J. H. Emerson and S. M. Reynolds. The following ladies were patronesses: Mrs. W. A. Comegys, Mrs. T. H. Gilpin, Mrs. S. M. Reynolds, Mrs. C. R. Lum, Mrs. N. J. Williams, Mrs. John S. Crouch, Mrs. I. S. Vallandigham, Mrs. E. R. Cochran, Mrs. G. W. W. Naudain, and Mrs. J. T. Budd. The ladies who had charge of the decorations were: Mrs. R. L. Price, chairman; the Misses Lillian Budd, Bessie Reynolds, Helen Naudain, Mary Cochran, Bessie Morton, Lettie Price, Lillie Scott, Vinie Lynch and Mable Taylor.

After the visitors had been introduced to the members of the various committees and many of our town people, all present were served with refreshments in the way of lemonade and cake, and claret punch. There was enough for everyone and this part of the evening's entertainment was by no means the least enjoyable feature. The crowd found the fine lawn outside the building a cool and breezy place to visit, and much of the time was spent here under the numerous chinese lanterns, in chatting and having a good time generally. The reception room was handsomely decorated with evergreen and several handsome pictures, including those of Ex-President Cleveland and President Harrison were hung on the wall. The refreshment tables held bouquets of various flowers, and these were also placed around the room wherever an available spot could be found. The exterior of the building was draped with flags and bunting, and the words, "Welcome, Sons of Delaware," were conspicuous over the door of the reception room.

In the room adjoining, and which has lately been fitted up for the Town Council, the Middletown orchestra discoursed excellent music during the greater part of the evening. This apartment was also decorated for the occasion. A likeness of Ex-Governor Biggs hung in a conspicuous place on the wall, with one of Hon. Thomas F. Bayard and Hon. Anthony Higgins on either side.

About midnight several of the visitors joined in a dance at the home of Miss Bessie Reynolds, and the evening's entertainment closed a half hour after that time.

The party is composed of I. L. Register, President; Dr. Joseph W. Hearn, Second Vice-president; Josiah Marvel, Secretary; Henry Tatnall, Treasurer; Wm. W. Smithers, Historian, and Dr. L. Baldwin, W. F. Deakyne, W. Horace Hepburn, W. H. Lacey, Luther Martin, Jr., C. H. Stockley, James B. Canby and John H. Lofland of the board of governors, and are guests of Frank Dale La Lanne, the first vice-president. The journey will continue a week and be made on Mr. La Lanne's four-in-hand-coach, the Warrington.

They expect to reach Rehoboth by Saturday, and will spend Sunday at that place, returning to Philadelphia the first of the week by railroad.

The Warrington, the coach in which the jaunt is being made, is an elegant turnout. It was made by Kellner of Paris, and modeled after the coach which took first prize at the Paris exposition. It has a black body, relieved with red, and has red running gears. There were two handsome bays on the lead and a fine bay and gray at the pole. Mr. La Lanne handled the ribbons. On the rear seat were two footmen in gay coaching livery, and with the party there was a trumpeter. The party left for Smyrna at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

In the morning the young ladies of the town enjoyed a drive in the coach with the visitors, and visa versa. The party drove through the streets and the trumpeter gave forth his best notes.

The Circulating Library.

Thomas J. Collins, of Haddonfield, N. J., has been in town this week making final arrangements for the establishment of a circulating library here, subscriptions for which were taken by H. R. McClelland, a few weeks ago. D. L. Dunning has been appointed librarian and the books are now numbered and on the shelves at his store.

There are 150 subscribers to the library. The books embrace some of the best literature of the day and the binding is far superior to that generally found in a circulating library.

Webster's unabridged dictionary, 1281 pages, 75c. Messick's new store.

Men's work shirts, 19c. at Messick's new store.

Nets $1.50 to $4.50 each, any grade, W. R. Reynolds.

Standard silver dollar shirt, 59c at Messick's new store, Middletown, Del.

Personal Matters

— Dr. Cecil H. Green spent Sunday last at Seaford.

— Scott Townsend of Wilmington, spent Sunday in Middletown.

— Warren Cochran of Philadelphia, is home for a few weeks.

— John A. Eliason of Philadelphia, is home on a two months' visit.

— John J. Hoffecker of Philadelphia, spent Sunday at his home here.

— Miss Rachie Wilson of Philadelphia, is visiting friends in Middletown.

— Victor Green of Wilmington, is home spending his summer vacation.

— Miss Annie Nichols of Lewes, is visiting Miss Martha Heaton, on Cass street.

— George Janvier and Mr. McAllister of Philadelphia, spent Sunday in Middletown.

— Miss Lillian Baldwin of Wilmington, is visiting Mrs. James H. Burnham.

— Archer C Stites of St. Louis, Mo., is spending several days at his former home here.

— William G. Lockwood was the guest of Georgetown, Md., friends on Sunday.

— Benjamin Wilson of Elkton, spent Sunday last with his parents here.

— William A. Budd of Wilmington, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Thomas Budd.

— R. Thomas Cochran and C. W. Jones of New York, arrived home Saturday on a two week's vacation.

— Robert A. Comegys successfully passed the junior examination at the Millersville, N. J., State Normal school this week.

Their New Quarters,

The entire first floor and also the basement, of the old Transcript building have been rented by the Town Council and the Board of Trade, and are being fitted up for their occupancy. The front room will be occupied by the Town Council and the back one by the Board of Trade. Both of these rooms have been handsomely papered, electric lights introduced, and they will be furnished in a comfortable manner. The basement is soon to be given a complete overhauling and will be fitted as a lock-up.

The new quarters will be a convenience which neither the Town Council or the Board of Trade have ever before enjoyed. They have held their meetings at various places heretofore and the plan to provide regular headquarters is a wise one.

A War on Dogs.

A citizen stopped the writer on the street this morning to air his feelings in regard to the dogs that make the hours of night anything but pleasant. "I see by the papers," he said, "that in Mt. Holly, N. J., the people have started a war on the canines by feeding them on meat seasoned with strychnine. You might suggest that in your paper as a good way to rid Middletown of the pests. They are an abomnible nuisance and the town would be better off without them. Just put that in for me, won't you," and the enemy of the noisy canines passed on with his feelings evidently much relieved.

Leather team nets—W. R. Reynolds. Body and breast nets at W. R. Reynolds.

Peninsula Matters.

A Loyal Temperance Legion has been organized in the Odessa M. E. Church with about 35 members.

An old farmer claims to have discovered gold dirt at Felton that yields $27 worth of gold to the ton.

Lieutenant Herbert Deakyne, limited States engineer, who is stationed at Willits Point, N. Y., is visiting friends in Delaware.

E. H. Graham, proprietor of the Bright House, at Rehoboth, announces that his opening will be held on Saturday evening next, June 25, when a grand hop will be given.

Some of the pipes made by Messrs. Duggan & Maul at Odessa have been sent to England and a large wholesale firm in Philadelphia are negotiating with the firm for a large order to be sent across the ocean.—Herald.

The Nineteenth Annual commencement of the Conference Academy at Dover will be held next week. The commencement exercises proper, will be held on Thursday evening at 8 P. M.

Mrs. Hannah A. Tatman, widow of the late Columbus Tatman, who a good many years ago kept a hotel at Georgetown, Del., died at her home, near Denton, Md., Saturday afternoon, from the effect of injury sustained in a fall a few weeks ago.

William H. and Joseph Swift of Wilmington have fallen heir to $232,000 each by the death of their uncle, Edwin Swift, in Philadelphia in March, 1891. Edwin Swift was a millionaire and was 80 years old. He did not leave a will and his estate, which amounted to $2,000,000 was left to nine heirs. They have already received $37,000 on account each.

Drowned at Augustine Pier.

William Callan, aged 39 years, of Philadelphia, was drowned Monday at Augustine Pier. The annual excursion of the Twentieth Ward Democratic Association took place on the steamer Richard Stockton and Callan was one of the participants. After the boat had reached the resort Callan, together with two companions, went in bathing. The men went too far from the shore, and Callan, who could not swim, was carried away by the swift current and was drowned before his companions could render him any assistance. The body has not been recovered. The unfortunate man was a painter and has been employed at the Philadelphia public buildings for a number of years.

For Sale Cheap.

Steel frame Deering Binder, nearly new. First come gets the prize. J. F. McWhorter, Agt. Deering Machinery, Middletown, Del.

— Fertilizers for Grass Corn, Oats, tomatoes, Potatoes and Garden Truck in store, and for sale by S. M Reynolds & Co.

DELAWARE CITY.

DELAWARE CITY, June 23.

— The crabbing season opened here this week.

— Mrs. James Morris of Philadelphia, is the guest of Miss Nellie Morris.

— Miss Adelea Justus of Locust Grove, Md., is visiting Mrs. Dr. F. S. Dunlap.

— Lieutenant D'Armit and wife now occupy the officers residence at the Delaware Battery.

— The examinations at the Delaware City Public School began on Wednesday and will end to-morrow (Friday.)

— The ladies of the M. E. Church are holding their annual strawberry festival on the church lawn this week.

— Two more new barges from the Elkton ship yard passed through the canal on Tuesday, bound for New York.

— Dr. F. S. Dunlap is prominently mentioned as a candidate for Legislature from Red Lion hundred on the Democratic ticket.

— Mr. Samuel Weaver has resumed his position as fireman on the steamer Alsenbourne of the New York and Baltimore line.

— Mr. A. I. Swan has had the interior of his barber shop improved by the addition of an extended cup case and new mirrors.

— It is reported that a clothing store will soon be opened in the building of Mr. George B. Money, formerly occupied by Mr. Charles S. Wingate.

— The Philadelphia and Baltimore steamboat Co., known as the Ericsson Line are having a new boat built, which, when completed will be the handsomest on that route.

— The Chesapeake and Delaware canal will be a lively stream on the Fourth of July, as a grand celebration will be held at both ends, Chesapeake City, like Delaware City, having made all arrangements for a celebration.

— At the annual election of trustees, held at St. Paul's Catholic Church, on Thursday evening, the following were elected: Messrs. William Morris, John O'Neill, John Lang, A. B. Holliday, P. J. Mulligan, A. B. Cook.

— On Wednesday evening, June 29th, an entertainment will be given in Assembly Hall, by the pupils of the Public School. The program will consist of recitations, dialogues, and singing. If the entertainment proves as good as the last one given by the same pupils, it will be well worth attending.

— It has been decided that the school election which was held here in April, was not legal under the new school law, and an election will be held on Saturday afternoon, at the engine house. It is probable that the same ticket which was voted for in April will be elected on Saturday, viz: David Steelman, George N. Bright and A. I. Swan.

— The engine, boiler, shaft, and wheel were removed last week from the hull of the tug Ham. Disston, which was burned at Reybold's beach a short time ago, by contractor Hearn, of Bordentown, N. J., and taken to the Pusey & Jones shops, Wilmington, where a new tug will be built for the owners.

— The steamer Thomas Clyde made her first stop here on Wednesday. She was loaded with excursionists; quite a crowd of them got off here, and among them were about forty Germantown fishermen who spent the day fishing along the canal. About seventy-five persons boarded her here and made the trip to Woodland Beach. The Thomas Clyde will stop here every Wednesday during the Summer season.

— Fourth of July will be celebrated in Delaware City with music, oratory and fire works. A committee of citizens headed by the mayor are making all arrangements for an old-fashioned celebration. They have invited the Rev. J. L. Willis of Kent county, to deliver the oration, and will also secure a good band. The fireworks have already been ordered, and the display will exceed anything ever seen here. They will be set off on the east side of the canal. It is the request of the committee that the residents of the town decorate their residences and places of business.

— The Sons of Delaware who are making a tour of the state, arrived here from Wilmington on Tuesday morning about eleven o'clock, and proceeded to the Delaware City Hotel, where they were received by Mayor Reybold, and after viewing the different places of interest here, they again repaired to the hotel, where Mr. E. A. Stout had prepared an elegant dinner for them. They seemed well pleased with their visit, and left for Middletown about four o'clock. Their handsome tally-ho attracted much attention while passing through town.

— Thursday evening, June 30th, is the date set for the annual commencement at the public school. Prof. Gardiner has taken pains to arrange a very entertaining program, which will include the reading of essays by the members of the graduating class, the awarding of prizes, an address to the class by Prof. Gardiner, Principal, an address to the citizens by Dr. A. N. Raub, President of Delaware College, and an address by Superintendent H. D. Griffin. Music will be furnished by the Delaware City Social Orchestra.

Four Maryland Notes.

The state's attorney of Kent county, is working up the evidence against the colored men now in jail, charged with killing Dr. Hill.

Tuckahoe bridge, which has just been finished and which connects Caroline and Talbot counties, Md., shortens the distance between Denton and Easton by six miles.

Charles Whaite, an aeronaut and trapeze performer, fell about 1500 feet at Tolchester Beach, Sunday, owing to the failure of a parachute to open properly. He was reported not seriously injured, but determined to "let ballooning alone in the future."

The peach shipment from Millington last year was the largest from any point of the United States. One day there were thirty-two cars shipped. It is estimated that 30 cars will carry the entire crop this year from this point. Mr. Thomas J. McWhorter estimates that he will gather one basket this year where he gathered one hundred last year.

Gifts To a Church.

St. Clements Episcopal Church at Masseys, Md., has just received a large bell for the church, given by Mrs. Massey in memory of her late husband, and a magnificent marble baptismal font given by Miss Minnie Massey in memory of her father, the late Dr. C. B. H. Massey; a very nice chandelier given by A. F. Huey in memory of his mother; a hymn tablet given by the congregation in memory of the Rev. Mr. Watson, their former rector.

State Fireman's Excursion.

The Delaware State Fireman's Association will give a moonlight excursion to Augustine Pier on the night of Thursday, July 14. They will go down the river on the steamer "City of Long Branch." Albert's Orchestra will furnish the music for the occasion. A large delegation including members of Volunteer Hose Company and their friends will join the Wilmington firemen on their arrival at the Pier.

A Much-Tried Case.

Ann Heeves, of Elkton, got a verdict for $3,500 damages against the P. W. & B. Railroad. The court thought this excessive, and gave the plaintiff the choice of accepting $2,000 or a new trial. She preferred a new trial, and the second time got a verdict for one cent damages. The case then went to the Court of Appeals, which has affirmed the court below.

Boys' 2 piece suits, 98c. at Messick's new store.

— Sheep Dip and Tar Camphor at Vaughan's Drug Store.

— Early Rose potatoes direct from Maine, also Early Beauty of Hebron potatoes for sale by the bushel or barrel at S. M. Reynolds & Co.

— Plow lines and traces at S. M Reynolds & Co's.

Best screen doors, 91c., ready to hang. Messick's new store.

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— 32 Men's overcoats will be sold at very low prices. We will not carry them over. W. H. MOORE & Co.

— 30 Boy's overcoats will be sold at very low figures. We will not carry them over. W. H. MOORE & Co.

— Landreth garden seeds at S. M. Reynolds & Co's.

— We will close our Ladies and Misses coats at ¼ and ⅓ off the regular prices. W. H. MOORE & Co.

— Paris Green and London Purple at Vaughan's Drug Store.

— FOR RENT.— The third story room, Cochran Block, lately occupied by the K. of P. Lodge.

S. M. Reynolds & Co.

THE MARKETS.

MIDDLETOWN GRAIN MARKET.
CORRECTED WEEKLY BY JOHN W. JOLLS.

WHEAT—No. 1 red	80	New cob Corn	42
Steamer No. 2,	78	CORN	
Timothy Seed	2.00	Yellow, shelled,	@45c
Clover Seed, per lb	14	Oats,	@50c

MIDDLETOWN PRODUCE MARKET.
CORRECTED WEEKLY BY S. M. REYNOLDS & CO.

Eggs, ₩ doz	18@20
Butter, ₩ lb	15@25
Lard, ₩ lb (per can)	8@9
New potatoes, per basket	@90c
Potatoes ₩ basket	25@30
Chickens Live ₩ lb	10@13
Spring Chickens ₩ lb	16@18

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Political.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER OF THE FIFTH DISTRICT,

ABRAM HAYDEN,

OF APPOQUINIMINK HUNDRED.

Subject to the decision of the Democratic party. 1-t

FOR COUNTY COMPTROLLER OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY,

JOHN W. JOLLS,

OF ST. GEORGES HUNDRED.

Subject to the decision of the Republican party. m12-tf

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER OF THE FIFTH DISTRICT,

WILLIAM A. SCOTT,

OF APPOQUINIMINK HUNDRED.

Subject to the decision of the Democratic party m12-tf

FOR RECEIVER OF TAXES AND COUNTY TREASURER,

— OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY, —

PHILIP R. CLARK,

Subject to the decision of the Republican Party. 2m

Nomination, Saturday, August 13th, 1892.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, FIFTH DISTRICT,

— NEW CASTLE COUNTY, —

WILLIAM E. EVANS,

OF APPOQUINIMINK HUNDRED.

Subject to the decision of the Democratic Party. jun23-tf

FOR ROAD COMMISSIONER,

OF ST. GEORGES HUNDRED,

S. S. HOLTEN.

Subject to the decision of the Democratic party. jun23-tf

☞ NOTICE.

THE ST. AUGUSTINE BRIDGE, near Port Penn, is closed for repairs, and will be off until Wednesday, June 22d.

By Order of the Levy Court,
JOHN W. JOLLS, Commissioner.

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A Valuable Grist Mill!

Near Galena, in Kent county, Maryland.

As mortgagee, in virtue of a power of sale contained in a mortgage made to me by Charles H. J. Sparks and wife, dated March 8th, 1886, and duly recorded in the land records for Kent county, Md., I will sell

At the Court House Door in Chestertown, Md.,

On Tuesday, July 12th, 1892,

At 12.30 o'clock P. M.,

The Mill and Mill Seat,

Known as Spark's Mill,

About two miles from Galena, and containing

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more or less.

The building and machinery is all new and in excellent order. Two burr of stone of best quality. Also, Feed Mill, Cob Mill, and Pearl Hominy Mill, Eureka Smutter, all necessary Elevators, unfailing steam, location in midst of best grain producing part of county and on most public thoroughfare.

Good Dwelling and Outbuildings.

About 15 Acres of Good Arable Land,

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Are both gotten with a serge suit properly gotten up. Either the blue or black serge makes a suit for dress or work.

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Every lady who buys Spring and Summer dress fabrics knows the amazing beauty of Kœchlins Mouseline de Indies.

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Real Scotch Dress Ginghams—fifty styles all in dress patterns containing 8, 9 and 10 yards each. The quality is of the finest and the styles are unexcelled. We have reduced three hundred patterns from 25c per yard.

Canton Cloths made in imitation of China silks. We have in sixty styles. They are light weight and better adapted for hot weather wear than the almost displaced satteens—price 12½c per yard.

A large lot of fine printed Cotton Challies 4 and 5 cents per yard all in selected styles.

We have made a special effort to show our customers a complete line of shirt waists and now have displayed in our underware department on the second floor front twenty-six distinct styles of waists, embracing over one hundred different effects and combination of colorings of the very newest things. They are made in lawns, muhl, gallatea cloth, Swiss and cheviots at 65, 75, 80, 90, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2, $2.50 and $3.25. In satteens, 75, 90, $1.25, $1.75. In Silks, $4.50, $5.50, $7.50, $10, Any one interested in shirt waists for the coming warm weather should see this line—ladies in attendance.

WM. B. SHARP & CO.,

Fourth and Market Streets.

Announcement.

For the convenience of those requiring attention to their eyes our speciolist will visit Middletown, on Wednesday, June 28th.

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ALL PERSONS are hereby notified that they must keep their gutters clean in order to allow free and unobstructed passage of water. Failure to do so will be dealt with according to law.

By Order of THE BOARD OF TOWN COMMISSIONERS,
HENRY CLAYTON, President.
W. S. LETHERBURY, Secretary.

Edwin R. Cochran, Jr.,

Attorney-at-Law!

No. 907 Market Street,

WILMINGTON, - DELAWARE.
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The Transcript

Thursday Afternoon, June 23, 1892

He and She.

He called her his dear little cloud,
And when she asked him why
He said, because she carried airs
And held herself so high.

"You couldn't be a cloud," she said,
With angry little twists,
"Because, no matter where you were,
You never would be mist."
—Cloak Review.

THE FASTEST THINGS.

The fastest railroad train in the world was the special train over the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, which made the distance from New York to Buffalo on September 14, 1891, 440 miles in 433 minutes 44 seconds. There is no possible doubt but that the time and distance were exactly as stated. Angus Sinclair, in the National Car and Locomotive Builder, attested the official velocity of the train as being 60.69 miles per hour.

This achievement was so remarkable as to attract the attention of the world. The Birmingham Daily Mail declared that not until then had Americans disputed the records with English railroads. It pointed to the fact that the Northwestern Railroad in running from London to Crewe, 146 miles, in three hours and five minutes, had opened the Americans' eyes. It conceded the triumph, however, to the New York Central road. This was an experimental train. The first regular train to emulate this time was the Empire State express, composed of buffet, smoking and library cars in addition to the regular coaches, and drawn by the same engine. On October 26, 1891, it made the 440 miles in eight hours and forty-one and three-quarter minutes, now the regular schedule time and the fastest in the world.

The fastest cooking, authentically attested, was done not long ago by Prince Bismark's famous chef, who is now chef cook in a restaurant of Berlin. He had made a bet with a regular guest of the place of $25 that he could kill, dress, cook and serve a chicken in six minutes. The exploit was to be performed in the presence of invited spectators. At nine o'clock on the appointed evening the cook appeared with his gas cooking stove on a platform in sight of all in the room. He waved the chicken around his head and it cackled loudly. Decapitating the fowl with one blow of a glittering knife, this astronomic expert, within sixty seconds, had removed every feather from it. The gas stove was already lighted with a broiler upon it. The fowl was cut open and drawn in one other minute and placed upon the broiler, a hot dish garnished with water cress was at hand, and it lacked just a second of the six minutes when the chicken was served amid great applause.

The fastest trotting ever done by horse-flesh was the accomplishment of Sunol, daughter of the famous stallion, Electioneer, on October 21, 1891. The event attracted the attention of the world. The performance was made on a new kite-shaped track at Stockton, Cal., in 2.08¼. This was one clean half a second better than the famous time of Maud S., which up to that moment constituted the record. The best time for mares before then had been 2.08¾, and for stallions had been 2:09½. Nelson and Jay Eye See had each 2:10 to his credit, and Allerton 2:09½.

The fastest machine is a matchmaker that eats up 150 different bands of wood at the same time, the wood having been shaved of a uniform thickness, and turns out 10,000,000 matches a day.

The fastest book-writing is supposed to be the achievement of T. P. O'Connor, of the London Star, whose book reached its fourth edition in forty-eight hours. Its length was 15,000 words, and the manuscript was in the hands of the publisher within twenty-four hours after its author was requested to produce it. It was the life of Charles Stewart Parnell, the order for which was given the day after the great Irishman's death.

The most rapid talker in the United States is Bishop Brooks, of Massachusetts, recently chosen bishop of that diocese. Baron Dowse, the Irish attorney-general, was heard to speak 250 words a minute, while the Rev. Arthur Munsell could not be reported. Rev. Phillips Brooks' sermons are said often to be delivered for an hour continuously at the rate of 215 words a minute. Dr. Chauncey M. Depew, the most popular American speaker, rarely exceeds 160 words a minute.

The fastest mile on record for a six-day bicycle race was in October, 1891, in Madison Square Garden by William Martin, of Detroit. He covered 1,466.4 miles in that time, beating the world's previous record by 61.4 miles.

The fastest long-distance transmission of message is over the Atlantic cable. About three seconds are required for a message to traverse it from one end to the other. That is a speed of about 700 miles a second.

The fastest leather-making on record is done at Frankfort-on-the-Main by electricity. An alternating current is used, the alternations being about sixty a second. In one-tenth the time required for ordinary tanning processes the electrical method has turned out a perfect article of leather.

The fastest homing pigeon, of which accurate records were taken, is the property of A. P. Baldwin, of Newark, N. J. On being liberated in Boutte, La., it returned home, 1,150 miles in an incredible short time. In one year it journeyed 3,150 miles, returning each time with great speed to its loft. No other pigeon, it is believed, has been known to make such a distance.

The fastest typewriter in the world is declared to be Frank E. McGurrin, of Salt Lake City. His record is 124⅓ words a minute, exclusive of errors, from dictation. On a single memorized sentence he wrote at the rate of 156 words a minute. The fastest woman typewriter, Miss Orr, of New York, was defeated by McGurrin by three words, Miss Orr's best record was 93 4-5 words a minute. On a later test McGurrin wrote 104 words in one minute blindfolded, and 131 words from dictation in fifty-nine seconds. This last performance, at Portland, Ore., was not official.

Dakota's Pump Snake—A Lie.

In central Dakota, on the "Missouri bottoms," there exists one of nature's strongest freaks. The settlers term it the "pump snake." How it came there and where it came from is yet unknown. It first made its appearance in Emmons county in the springtime of 1886. A full grown pump snake measures about sixteen feet in length and about three inches in diameter. They are of gregarious habits, roaming the prairies in large herds, as many as 300 having been counted in a single flock.

In dissecting one of these reptiles there is found a tube, which extends from the root of the jaw to the extremity of the tail and terminates in an opening. This tube is about two inches in diameter and lined with a tough, yielding substance similar to rubber. The pump snake is easily trained to answer the call of man. The inhabitants of this section trap them in large numbers.

A farm on Cat Tail creek has a flock of twenty pump snakes trained to a remarkable degree of proficiency. At the blast of a whistle the snakes assemble on the banks of the creek. The leader (there is always a leader to a herd of these snakes, who is elected by a two-thirds majority) dashes into the water of the creek, leaving only the extremity of its tail on the bank.

Another snake immediately grasps the end of the leaders tail in its jaws, a third snake takes hold of the second snake's tail in a similar manner, and so on, extending to the water troughs in the cattle yards, 300 feet away. The leading snake begins to swallow or pump the water of the creek, which passes through the long line of snakes as it would through a hose, and falls in a heavy stream into the trough.

The agriculturist told of an extraordinary circumstance which occurred a short time ago. While working in the field near his home he observed flames issuing from the roof of his barn. Wild with excitement he hurried to the burning building, only to see that it was a hopeless task for himself alone to attempt to extinguish the flames. In despair he gazed on the destruction. Suddenly he heard a loud rustling in the tall grass, whence issued his herd of pump snakes on the run. The leader hurled himself into the creek, the rest instantly adjusting themselves heads and tails from the creek to the burning building.

The last snake, standing on its head waved its long and flexible body, from the tail of which issued a stream of water that was thrown with terrific force on the burning building. Back and forth dashed the tail end of the living hose, squirting the water where it would do the most good, while the loud pumping of the leader could be heard above the roar of the conflagration. Within fifteen minutes the last spark was out. Then, and not until then, did the pump snakes quit work. They were completely exhausted, the leader having fainted dead away.

The main part of the building and its contents were saved, thanks to the presence of mind of these wonderful snakes.—Fire and Water.

How a Verdict Was Reached.

"I do not see how a jury can bring in such a verdict as the jury did in the case of Anna Maria Williams vs. the Walton & Whann Company" said a man to a reporter the day after the verdict was rendered. "Either the widow was entitled to no damages or she should have received more than $900 In fact, the bulk of that will disappear before she gets it, because the lawyer in such cases, usually gets 40 to 50 per cent of the damages awarded."

Inquiry among the jury developed the fact that nine of the jurymen were in favor of awarding damages from the first but three were opposed unless the damages were merely nominal. They considered that the deceased Joshua Williams was old and would have died in the ordinary course of events, before many years. Futhermore the jury was not convinced thoroughly that there was any culpable negligence on the part of the company, although they noted the fact that no such fatalities or accidents had occured before, nor had any occurred since the one in question. The whole jury was unanimous in the opinion that no heavy damages should be awarded, and there was a reaction from the freedom with which damages were awarded against the city in recent suits. The verdict was the average of the aggregate amount of damages awarded by each jurymen divided by the number of jurymen.—Sunday Star.

They Didn't Care.

Young Allsap and his bride were on their wedding tour.

And they didn't care who knew it.

Her head rested on his manly shoulder; her golden hair streamed down over the back of the car seat and his protecting arm was around her.

"Tweetness," he said, in a voice whose wealth of tenderness the rear of the train utterly failed to drown, "whose 'ittle girly girl?"

"Oors, dovey dove," she responded.

"Is its 'ittle curly purly head all comf'ble?"

"Dest Wight."

"Wuv me very much, pet?"

"I wuv 'oo bushels and bush—"

"Brakeman," grasped the passenger two seats back of them, faintly, "for Heaven's sake, come and raise this window!"—Chicago Tribune.

As no roads are so rough as those that have just been mended so no sinners are so intolerant as those who have just turned saints.—Texas Siftings.

An Only Daughter Cured of Consumption.

When death was hourly expected, all remedies having failed, and Dr. H. James was experimenting with the many herbs of Calcutta, he accidentally made a preparation which cured his only child of Consumption. His child is now in this country, and enjoying the best of health. He has proved to the world that Consumption can be positively and permanently cured. The Doctor now gives the recipe free, only asking two 2-cent stamps to pay expenses. This herb also cures Night Sweats, Nausea at the Stomach, and will break up a fresh cold in twenty-four hours. Address CRADDOCK & Co., 1032 Race Street, Philadelphia, naming this paper.

Little Girl—"I wonder what's th' reason all our school-teachers go an' get married." Little Boy—"I guess it's cause they like to boss."—Good News.

For Over Fifty years

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used by millions of mothers for their children while teething. If disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of Cutting Teeth send at once and get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for Children Teething. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures Dirarhœa, regulates the stomach and Bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the Gums, reduces Inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething is pleasant to the taste and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Price twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winlow's Soothing Syrup." m-5-1 y.

Ethel—"There is one thing I fear you have forgotten, Mr. Stalate." Stalate—"What is that?" Ethel—"The way home."—N. Y. Herald.

Half Rates to Cincinnatti, O., via Pennsylvania Railroad.

For the benefit of delegates and visitors to the Prohibition National Convention at Cincinnati, O., on June 29th and 30th, 1892, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Cincinnati, O., from all principal stations on its lines, at a *single fare for the round trip.* The tickets will be sold June 27th and 28th, good going only on date of sale as stamped on back, but not later than for trains leaving initial point of ticket June 28th. The return coupons will be good to return on date stamped on back by agent at Cincinnati, but not good for return passage to initial point after July 6th.

"I think she is a two-faced creature," said one of the girls indignantly. "O, no," returned Miss Cordial, "if she had two faces she would never use this one."—Washington Star.

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 820 Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y. m19-t

Let married people take a lesson from their shoes. If they were exactly alike they wouldn't make a well-fitting pair.

Fourth of July Excursions on the Pennsylvania Railroad.

In pursuance of the usual custom the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets for the Fourth of July holiday between all stations on its system east of Pittsburg and Erie, at a rate of *two cents per mile.*

These tickets, which open up a rare chance for holiday touring, will be sold on July 1st, 2d, 3d, and 4th, and will be valid for return until July 5th, 1892, inclusive.

This world is so crowded that you can't pat one man on the back without stepping on another man's toes when you do it.—Atchison Globe.

"How do you know Jimpson is crazy?" "He's talking out of his head." That's a good sign. He usually talks only out of his mouth."—N. Y. Herald.

BEATTY Pianos $140, Organs $33. Want agents. Catalogue free. D. F Beatty, Washington, N. J.

A feeling of dullness, languor, and depression means that your liver isn't doing its part. That means impure blood, to begin with, and all kinds of ailments in the end. But you can stop them in advance. Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery invigorates the liver, purifies and enriches the blood, and rouses every organ into healthy action. It prevents and cures all diseases arising from a torpid liver or from impure blood. Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Biliousness, Scrofulous, Skin and Scalp Diseases—even Consumption (or Lung-scrofula), in its earlier stages, all yield to it.

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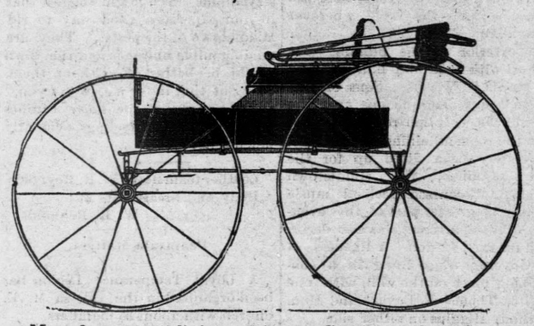

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NOTICE is hereby given that the original Direct Tax List, containing the names of persons in the State of Delaware who paid the Direct Tax on Real Estate in 1868, has been delivered to me by the Internal Revenue Department, and that all persons whose names appear on the said List will be entitled to have the amount paid by them as shown by the said List, refunded and notice will be given hereafter at what times and places I will attend for the purpose of receiving the claims for Taxes to be so refunded. J. FRANK WILDS,
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Dover, July 11th, 1891

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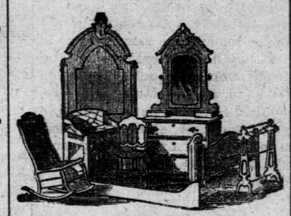

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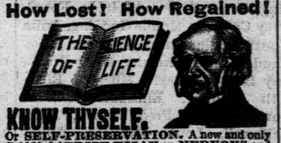

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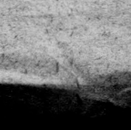

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Laurel,			8.19	4.06
Seaford,			8.38	4.17
Cannons,			18.36	14.24
Bridgeville,			8.42	4.29
Greenwood,			18.51	14.38
Farmington,			18.59	14.47
Harrington,		$7.50	9.11	5.00
Felton,		7.59	9.20	5.09
Viola,		18.03	19.22	15.12
Woodside,		18.07	19.26	15.17
Wyoming,	$7.00	18.14	9.33	5.24
Dover,	7.06	8.20	9.40	5.31
Dupont,	17.09			
Cheswold,	17.15		19.49	15.40
Brenford,	17.19		19.55	15.47
Smyrna *Le*	7.15	8.28	9.51	5.33
Clayton,	7.24	8.37	10.01	5.53
Green Spring,	17.28			15.59
Blackbird	17.35		f10.11	16.04
Townsend,	7.40	8.50	10.16	6.09
Middletown	7.49	9.00	10.25	6.18
Armstrong,	17.55			16.23
Mt. Pleasant,	7.57		f10.33	6.28
Kirkwood,	8.06		10.42	6.38
Porter's,	8.12	9.19	10.46	6.43
Bear	18.17		f10.51	16.48
State Road,	18.23		f10.56	16.53
New Castle,	8.28	9.31	11.02	7.00
Farnhurst	18.33			
Wilmington,	8.43	9.42	11.15	7.13
Baltimore,	10.37	11.10	12.35	9.25
Philadelphia,	9.32	10.32	12.01	7.59

	SOUTHWARD. PASS. A.M.	EXP. A.M.	PASS. P.M.	PASS. P.M
Philadelphia,	$7.27	$10.33	$2.02	$3.53
Baltimore,	6.30	8.50	1.20	3.05
Wilmington,	8.15	11.18	2.50	4.37
Farnhurst	18.24			
New Castle,	8.30		3.01	
State Road,	18.36		13.07	
Bear	18.41		f3.12	
Porter's	8.50		f3.17	14.58
Kirkwood,	8.54	f11.43	f3.21	
Mt. Pleasant,	9.03		f3.29	
Armstrong,	19.05			
Middletown	9.11	11.59	3.37	5.22
Townsend,	9.20		f3.45	5.30
Blackbird,	f9.25		f3.49	
Green Spring,	f9.31		f3.55	
Clayton,	9.37	12.17	3.59	5.43
Smyrna *Le*	9.27	12.03	3.50	5.33
Brenford,	f9.42		f4.04	
Cheswold	f9.46		f4.10	
Dupont,			f4.13	
Dover,	9.59	12.33	4.19	6.00
Wyoming,	10.06	f12.39	4.26	
Woodside	f10.13		f4.33	
Viola	f10.17		f4.37	
Felton,	10.22	f12.50	4.41	6.18
Harrington,	10.35	1.01	4.50	6.30
Farmington	f10.42	f1.07		f6.38
Greenwood,	f10.51	f1.14		f6.46
Bridgeville,	f11.00	f1.22		6.55
Cannons	f11.05			f7.00
Seaford,	11.15	1.33		7.08
Laurel,	11.27	f1.44		7.19
Delmar,	11.40	1.53		7.30

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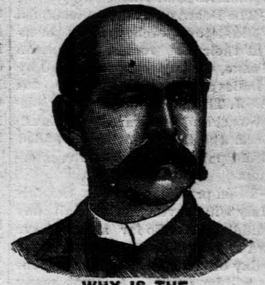

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